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TAGS: SOPN, UK, US, XO
SUBJECT: FURTHER FCO COMMENTS ON PRESS GUIDANCE FOR
US-UK INDIAN OCEAN TALKS

REFERENCE: LONDON 7848

FCO DESK OFFICER FOR INDIAN OCEAN AFFAIRS, CLAY, CALLED
EMBOFF MAY 19 TO CONVEY FCO REQUEST THAT TWO FURTHER
CHANGES BE MADE IN CONTINGENCY PRESS GUIDANCE ON US-UK
INDIAN OCEAN TALKS. IN DOCUMENT AS ALREADY AMENDED BY
FCO, LATTER REQUESTS THAT IN FIRST SENTENCE WORDS
"POLITICO-MILITARY MATTERS" BE DELETED. IN THIRD
SENTENCE, DELETE PHRASE "DO NOT INVOLVE NEGOTIATIONS,
COMMITMENTS, OR AGREEMENTS, BUT". FCO NOW FEELS THIS
PHRASE IS UNNECESSARILY DEFENSIVE AND COULD HAVE OP-
POSITE EFFECT OF WHAT IS INTENDED. FCO CONTINUES TO
WISH TO AVOID ATTRACTING ATTENTION TO TALKS AND BE-
LIEVES PUBLICITY WOULD BE DISADVANTAGEOUS.

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Message Attributes

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